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The Legislative Corner

This section provides the title to Ordinances and Resolutions being considered by Village Council. To read the entire text go to our website. Enacted legislation will be found under "Village Government"; and Legislation that is being considered can be found under "Village Council—Agenda".

- ◆ 2021-02 An Ordinance to Make Permanent Appropriations for The Current Year's Expenses and Other Expenditures of the Village of Ashville, State of Ohio, Based upon the Amended Certificate of Resources Issued by the Pickaway County Budget Commission for the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 2021, and Declaring an Emergency.
- ◆ 2021-05 An Ordinance Authorizing the Village Administrator and Fiscal Officer to Execute an Agreement to Provide Flow Monitoring as Mandated by the OhioEPA in the Village of Ashville and to Execute Contracts as Required and Declaring an Emergency.

**NEW PERSON, GREAT PROGRAM
ASHVILLE FOOD PANTRY**

First, we would like to thank Mike Johnsen for his years of service as the Executive Director of the Ashville Food Pantry. 2020 and 2021 have been a challenge, and the pantry has successfully navigated Covid-19, increased demand, changes to food delivery, and the start of an Ashville Food Pantry Building Campaign.

Kris Smith became the Executive Director in March 2021. Prior to that appointment she has and is the Chairperson of the Ashville Food Pantry Building Campaign and a volunteer. This campaign has collected \$177,000. The goal is \$250,000 to construct and outfit the pantry with refrigerators, freezers, and shelves. She has volunteered for the pantry since February 2017.

Mrs. Smith is a graduate of Teays Valley and Ohio University in Lancaster with a focus in

accounting . She has worked for the Village of Ashville, Educational Services City of Columbus, Ohio Association of Public School Employees (OAPSE), Westfall Schools, and Auto Club Insurance Company.

The Ashville Food Pantry works with Pickaway County Community Action Organization (PICCA) to get produce as part of the food supplied to individuals that may not be able to get these items without help.

Thank you Mike, Kris, and the volunteers at the Ashville Food Pantry. You make Ashville a welcoming place that people want to live!

People helping People



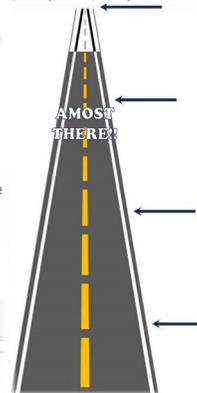
Kris Smith standing at Long and Church Street, the future site of the Ashville Food Pantry. "Creating a Vision for Ashville"



New Building Project

The impact of the food pantry within the community continues to grow and we must grow along with it. The current building has served us well, but the time has come for a new facility and we need your help!

\$200,000-\$250,000



From 2010 to 2019 the Ashville Food Pantry has fed more than 33,000 people



Since 2013 the Ashville Food Pantry has distributed more than 13,000 bags of food valuing \$260,000

What the new building will provide

- Handicap accessibility
- More storage and shelf space
- Secure internal refrigeration and freezer space
- Reduced expenses for utility consumption
- Off street parking for clients

Our Goal is \$200,000/ \$250,000

If you are interested in donating toward the new facility find us on online at [facebook.com/ashvillefoodpantry](https://www.facebook.com/ashvillefoodpantry). Donors will be recognized on a Donor Tree inside the new facility and large donors will be recognized on wall plaques within the building.

Heroes in Ashville & Pickaway County

We are accustomed to the identification of police officers and fire safety personnel as individuals in high risk occupations as heroes. In 2020 and 2021, we have discovered other groups of individuals that have stepped up to serve our community. These circumstances have been the result of the Covid-19 pandemic. They are those whom came in more frequent contact with people that had Covid-19 and still performed their job. This included every cashier, nurse, doctor, teacher and more.

While I was driving by the Ashville Apothecary on Sunday, March 21st, I recognized Stephen Mabe, a pharmacist and manager at 3400 State Route 752, in the parking lot giving a Covid-19 vaccination to an individual in our community. Stephen is a 2010 graduate of Ohio Northern University and pharmacy manager of the Ashville Apothecary and Circleville Apothecary. Stephen is a graduate of Teays Valley High School and a lifelong citizen of Ashville. He is a full-time pharmacist and manager. He also is a travelling vaccination clinic and is an adjunct professor in training new pharmacists from around Ohio.



Stephen Mabe PharmD, RPh, Pharmacy Manager

Thank you and your staff for stepping up as an example of community leadership.

Pickaway County Public Health has also stepped up. Many health care personnel have come out of retirement to help their fellow citizens. They have developed an efficient process to get the vaccine to people. This will allow us to begin engaging in the activities we were used to prior to the pandemic. Page 2 provides information on how to get vaccinated.



Village Council Meetings Every 1st and 3rd Monday at: 6:30 pm
Council Committee Meetings Every 2nd Monday at 6:30 pm
- Holiday Mondays will move the meeting forward by one week

More Info. Next Month
◆ Canceled 2021
Viking Festival
& Easter Egg Hunt

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ASHVILLE VISION STATEMENT

Remembering our rural heritage, Ashville will be a vibrant and friendly community, offering an enhanced quality of life achieved through planning, progress and collaboration. It will be a welcoming place where people want to live and businesses prosper.

State Route 316 Resurface, Sidewalk (ADA), Stormwater Improvement Project

Restarts April 5 and ends June 30, 2021

This page contains information concerning the project between Jefferson Avenue & Station Street. Stormwater work will begin between Madison & Station Street.

Free Vaccination Transportation

Visit www.pickawaycountypublichealth.org to register for your vaccination.



Pickaway County residents in need of transportation can call PICCA Transportation at 740-474-8835 to schedule a free ride to vaccination appointments. Transportation sponsored by the Savings Bank! **Tell a friend or neighbor!**



Should I get vaccinated & how do I register?

Before starting this article, we want to emphasize that it is each individual's choice to get vaccinated for Covid-19 or most other diseases. There are no national standards for required vaccinations. Vaccination requirements are by school and state. Teays Valley's requirement is: 5 (DTaP, DTP or DT), 4 Polio, 2 MMRs, 3 doses of Hepatitis B and 2 doses of Varicella or Chickenpox vaccine.

This is a CDC list of some you may know and others you may not:

- ◆ Chickenpox (Varicella)
- ◆ Diphtheria
- ◆ Flu (Influenza)
- ◆ Hepatitis A
- ◆ Hepatitis B
- ◆ Hib (Haemophilus influenzae type b)
- ◆ HPV (Human Papillomavirus)
- ◆ Measles
- ◆ Meningococcal
- ◆ Mumps
- ◆ Pneumococcal
- ◆ Polio (Poliomyelitis)
- ◆ Rotavirus
- ◆ Rubella (German Measles)
- ◆ Shingles (Herpes Zoster)
- ◆ Tetanus (Lockjaw)
- ◆ Whooping Cough

The intent of this article is to provide information for you to make an informed choice. In Pickaway County 20% have been vaccinated. The reported objective range is 60 to 95%.

Ten reasons to get vaccinated:

1. **Vaccine-preventable diseases have not gone away** The viruses and bacteria that cause illness and death still exist and can be passed on to those who are not protected by vaccines. While many diseases are not common in the US, global travel makes it easy for diseases to spread.
2. **Vaccines will help keep you healthy** The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommends vaccinations throughout your life to protect against many infections. When you skip vaccines, you leave yourself vulnerable to illnesses such as shingles, pneumococcal disease, flu, and HPV and hepatitis B, both leading causes of cancer, and now Covid-19.
3. **Vaccines are as important to your overall health as diet and exercise** Like eating healthy foods, exercising, and getting regular check-ups, vaccines play a vital role in keeping you healthy. Vaccines are one of the most convenient and safest preventive care measures available.
4. **Vaccination can mean the difference between life and death** Vaccine-preventable infections can be deadly. Every year in the US, approximately 50,000 adults die from vaccine-preventable diseases.
5. **Vaccines are safe** The US has a robust approval process to ensure that all licensed vaccines are safe. Potential side effects associated with vaccines are uncommon and much less severe than the diseases they prevent.
6. **Vaccines will not cause the diseases they are designed to prevent** Vaccines contain either killed or weakened viruses, making it impossible to get the disease from the vaccine.
7. **Young and healthy people can get very sick, too** Infants and older adults are at increased risk for serious infections and complications, but vaccine-preventable diseases can strike anyone. If you are young and healthy, getting vaccinated can help you stay that way.
8. **Vaccine-preventable diseases are expensive** Diseases not only have a direct impact on individuals and their families, but also carry a high price tag for society as a whole, exceeding \$10 billion per year. An average flu illness can last up to 15 days, typically with five or six missed work or school days. Adults who get hepatitis A lose an average of one month of work.
9. **When you get sick, your children, grandchildren, and parents may be at risk, too** Adults are the most common source of pertussis (whooping cough) infection in infants which can be deadly for babies. When you get vaccinated, you are protecting yourself and your family as well as those in your community who may not be able to be vaccinated.
10. **Your family and co-workers need you** In the US each year, millions of adults get sick from vaccine-preventable diseases, causing them to miss work and leaving them unable to care for those who depend on them, including their children and/or aging parents.

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If you have decided to get vaccinated, in Pickaway County go to the following webpage and register.

<https://pickawaycountypublichealth.org/register/>

Figure 1 is a screen shot of that page which is updated each week. The exact text may (most likely will) change based upon the State of Ohio updates.

Once on this page you will see a calendar on the right side. Click on the BLUE Box a date in the calendar. The calendar will display times that are open. Click on the time you would like to select That will open a page where you can complete registration and obtain an Eventbrite Ticket.

You can also call 740-477-9667 for assistance. www.pickawaycountypublichealth.org/covid-19-vaccine-information/



COVID-19 Vaccination Registration

Please use the calendar to the right to select a day and time for an upcoming COVID-19 vaccination clinic.

NOW SCHEDULING FOR APRIL 1st, 2021!

You must be at least 18 years old to receive the Moderna or Johnson & Johnson vaccine.

You must be at least 16 years old to receive the Pfizer vaccine.

Figure 1



2021 Monthly & YTD Activity Report

The information below can be viewed as a pdf with larger text at www.ashvilleohio.gov under Community & Links "Newsletter"



Good Articles - Covid-19

Vaccines—mild or more reactions to the coronavirus shot, plus advice on how to ease the symptoms.

www.mayoclinic.org/diseases-conditions/coronavirus/in-depth/coronavirus-vaccine/art-20484859 and www.huffpost.com/entry/covid-vaccine-side-effects-predict-symptoms_1_605a09dccc5b66a80f4eb23c0

Description	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total	Ave	Mean	Measure
Incident Report		94	86										180	90.00	90.00	Report
Criminal Arrest/Charges Filed		16	10										26	13.00	13.00	Files
Warrant Served/Arrests		1	1										2	1.00	1.00	Each
Traffic Citations		17	13										30	15.00	15.00	Each
Parking Tickets		0	0										0	0.00	0.00	Each
Warning Citations		49	30										79	39.50	39.50	Each
Crash Reports		5	4										9	4.50	4.50	Each
Code Violations		1	4										5	2.50	2.50	Each
Patrolled Miles		8,004	7,466										15,470	7,735.00	7,735.00	Miles
Reserve Unit Hours		0	72										72.00	36.00	36.00	Hours

Description	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total	Budget	Ave	Mean	Projected
General Revenue Fund Total	\$165,699.11												\$165,699.11	\$2,331,592.00	\$165,699.11	\$165,699.11	\$1,988,389.32
Income Tax Revenue	\$126,331.59												\$126,331.59	\$1,524,060.00	\$126,331.59	\$126,331.59	\$1,515,979.08
Police Expense 1000-110	\$91,769.86												\$91,769.86	\$884,998.00	\$91,769.86	\$91,769.86	\$1,101,238.32
Balance	\$73,929.25												\$73,929.25	\$1,446,594.00	\$73,929.25	\$73,929.25	\$887,151.00
Percentage of General Fund	55.38%												55.38%	37.96%	55.38%	55.38%	
Percentage of Income Tax	72.64%												72.64%	58.07%	72.64%	72.64%	